

**CONFIDENTIAL**

# Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Assistant Director for National Estimates

DATE: 13 MAR 1957

FROM : Chief, Budget Division

SUBJECT: Document "Survey of NIE Dissemination and Use"

REFERENCE: Letter to the Director, Bureau of the Budget, dated  
21 November 1956, from the Director, CIA

*return  
to  
stock*

The subject document IAC-D-94/1, dated 10 July 1956,  
which was transmitted as an enclosure to the reference letter,  
has been returned to this office by the Bureau of the Budget  
and is being returned to you for disposition.



25X1

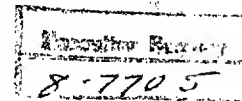
Attachment

MORI/CDF Page 2 Only

MAR 14 1957  
NE 4

**CONFIDENTIAL**

300331

**SECRET**

The Honorable Percival Brundage  
 Director  
 Bureau of the Budget  
 Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Brundage:

Pursuant to the recent request of the International Division of your office, I am forwarding herewith a copy of the document entitled "Survey of NIE Dissemination and Use" in the form in which it was finally approved by the Intelligence Advisory Committee on 7 August 1956.

In agreeing to release this document, the members of the Intelligence Advisory Committee requested me to emphasize, at the time I transmitted a copy to you, certain matters with respect to the nature of this survey. In particular, this report is an informal survey, undertaken with the limited goal of establishing the distribution pattern of National Intelligence Estimates, and of shedding light on the manner in which they are used. Moreover, I wish to stress that the survey was originally for the internal use of the Board of National Estimates and the Intelligence Advisory Committee.

In view of the nature of this document, as indicated above, I am sure that the members of the Committee will appreciate its return when its purpose has been served in your organization.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

Allen W. Dulles  
 Director

O/E: [ ] (1 Nov 56)  
 Retyped: ADD/S [ ] (7 Nov 56)  
 Retyped: O/DCL/ [ ] (20 Nov 56)  
 Dist:

Orig & 1 - Addressee

1 - DCI

1 - EECI

1 - DEI

1 - DD/S

1 - II

1 - Comptroller (Att: [ ])

**Secretary, IAC**

*For IAC action see  
 1AC-M-263, 30 Oct 56,  
 item 5  
 JH*

25X1